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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated October 31, 2005, the Applicant hereby petitions for a three month extension of time, from November 31, 2005 to February 28, 2006 to file the attached compliant brief. Please charge the extension fee of \$510 to deposit account 06-1130. If there are additional charges with respect to this election or otherwise, please charge them to deposit account 06-1130, maintained by the applicant's attorneys.

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